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## **Norman Rockwell exhibit showcases American stories**

Saint Paul employees, citizens,  
and visitors have a rare chance to  
experience a portrait of America that  
is unique in the world of art.

The Minnesota Museum of  
American Art, at the Landmark  
Center in downtown Saint Paul, is  
presenting an exhibition of Norman  
Rockwell's 322 "Saturday Evening  
Post" covers. The Vermont- and  
Massachusetts-based artist produced  
the 322 covers for the popular  
national magazine from 1916, when  
the artist was 22 years old, until  
1963, when he was 69.

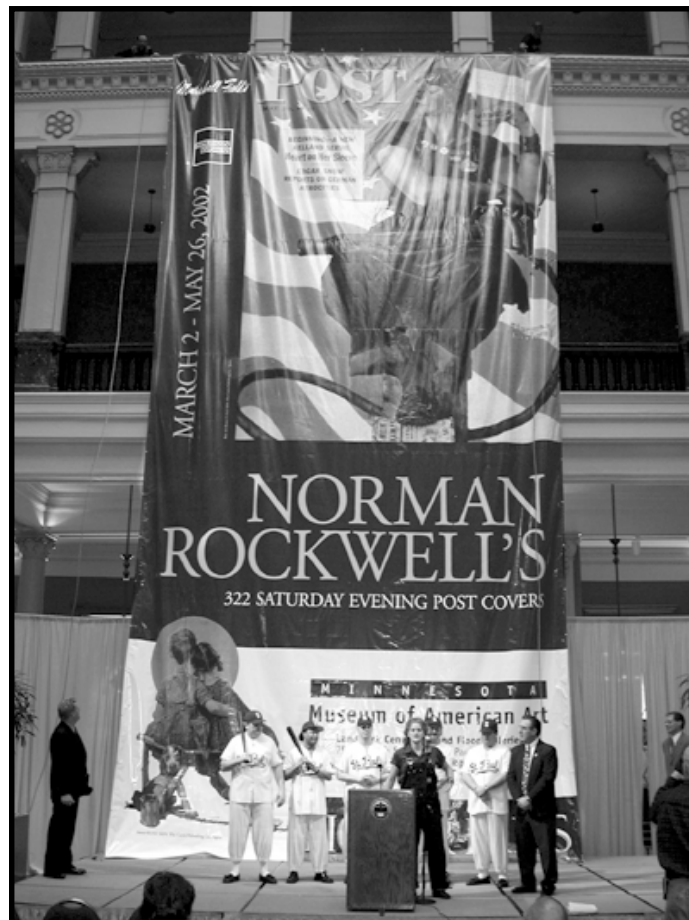
The exhibit shows a chronological  
progression of the 322 magazine  
covers, depicted in a complete set of  
the publication's tear sheets. Many of  
the original paintings were destroyed  
in a fire at Rockwell's studio in 1948.

The Saturday Evening Post was  
Rockwell's primary client throughout  
his career. He painted about a half-  
dozen covers for them every year.

Other prominent clients included  
the Boy Scouts of America and and  
Saint Paul printing company Brown &  
Bigelow, Inc. The museum will also

be exhibiting  
four original  
Rockwell  
paintings  
commissioned  
by Brown &  
Bigelow, for its  
calendars. Three  
of these were  
stolen in 1978  
from a Saint  
Louis Park  
gallery, and  
recently were  
recovered by the  
FBI in Brazil.

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Norman Rockwell's  
representation of  
"Rosie the Riveter"  
came to life on  
March 1st to  
announce the  
artist's exhibit of  
322 magazine  
covers at the  
Minnesota Museum  
of American Art.  
The show continues  
through May 26th.

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Saint Paul employees exhibited their own slice of Americana at the Norman Rockwell exhibit media event on March 1st, representing the look of a local baseball team from perhaps 100 years ago. The Saint Paul "Nine" (more like eight and a half) are, from left, Carl Kuhl, Marketing; Erich Mische, Marketing, holding his son, Owen; John Marshall, City Council offices; Ken Smith, Council Research; Laura Mortenson, Mayor's office; Mike Neaton, Citizen Service Office; Greg Brees, Budget office; and Jason Reid, Mayor's office. "Team manager" Randy Kelly is at the podium.

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Telling tales of ordinary life in his art, Rockwell's art has been compared to that of the PEANUTS creator, Saint Paul native Charles Schulz. Coincidentally, a show of Schulz's art is now on exhibit at the

Normal Rockwell Museum, in Stockbridge, Massachusetts.

You can see more museum and Rockwell exhibit information at [www.mmaa.org](http://www.mmaa.org), or you may contact them at 651-292-4355. The Rockwell museum is at [www.nrm.org](http://www.nrm.org).



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## Pre-retirement Planning Seminar set for April, May

If you're planning to retire in the next ten years, and you haven't attended one of the City's pre-retirement planning seminars, now is your chance!

The pre-retirement planning seminar is a long-range planning seminar designed to help you take practical steps NOW to enable you to spend your retirement years as you choose.

Information about Social Security, public pensions, fitness, nutrition, legal readiness, estate planning, financial planning, deferred compensation, and employee benefits will be presented by experts in their fields.

The seminar is scheduled for three Wednesdays: April 17, 24, and May 1, 2002 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

All sessions will be held in Room 40 A & B of City Hall.

Registration is limited to 50 City employees. Please do not register unless you will be able to attend all three sessions.

To register, please submit a Risk Management Seminar Application to the Risk Management Division, 240 City Hall, by April 5.

Applications are available from your department training representative and at RICH (Resource Information Center on Health) on the skyway level of the City Hall Annex. If a partner will be attending with you, please include that person's name on your application.

## City job openings as of March 8th, 2002

Application deadline	Job title	Yearly salary rate	Exam date
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Please Note: Mayor Kelly has announced a hiring freeze for the City of Saint Paul. The testing and application process will be continuing for certain positions, and hiring decisions will be made on a case by case basis. The City does anticipate that some exceptions to the freeze will be approved, particularly for certain seasonal/summer positions. You are encouraged to continue your interest in City employment by completing the job application process.